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## TOWN OF HERNDON SEEKS CITIZEN VOLUNTEER TO FILL PLANNING COMMISSION VACANCY

Herndon, VA (February 22, 2006) – The Town of Herndon is seeking applications from citizen volunteers to fill an upcoming vacancy on the Herndon Planning Commission for an unexpired term ending July 31, 2008. The Planning Commission makes recommendations to the Town Council on issues affecting the Comprehensive Plan, rezoning of property, use permits for special uses in specific zoning areas, variances from the zoning ordinances, site plans for new or revised construction and architectural appearance. A full term is four years. Members receive \$175 per month and must be Town residents. There is a minimum of one regular meeting and one work session each month.

Individuals interested in serving should complete a "Talent Bank" application and submit it to the Town Clerk. The Mayor and Town Council will review all applications received before making their selection to fill the position. Copies of the application are available in the Town Clerk's office, located in the Herndon Municipal Center. Applications are also available via the Town's website at <a href="https://www.herndon-va.gov">www.herndon-va.gov</a>; click on "Town Council," then "Boards and Commissions." For additional information or to update an application already on file, contact the Town Clerk's office at 703/435-6804 or by email at town.clerk@herndon-va.gov.

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 22,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people.

For more information, visit the Town's website at <a href="www.herndon-va.gov">www.herndon-va.gov</a>.